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APPLICANT:	Peter Alan Smith	) Group Art Unit: 3637
SERIAL NO:	09/622,249	) Examiner: Dennis Dorsey
FILED:	August 15, 2000	) <b><u>EXPEDITED PROCEDURE</u></b>
TITLE:	Chair Incorporating Air Cushions	) <b><u>AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL</u></b>

**Box AF**THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231**REQUEST FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION**

Sir:

With reference to the Office Action dated September 24, 2002, Applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of the response term, from the present term of December 24, 2002, up to a new term of March 24, 2003. The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 12-0400 in the amount of \$465.00 to cover the fee for this three-month extension, or any required fees in excess of the amount submitted, or credit any overpayment.

Respectfully submitted,

March 3, 2003

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